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Treaty on the international recognition of the deposit of microorganisms for purposes of

patent procedure. It is submitted that these deposit certificates are sufficient to comply

with the rules and complete the enablement requirements of 35 USC112 for claim 54.

With submission of these deposit certificates and appropriate amendment of the

specification, it is submitted that this claims are clearly sufficient to comply with 35 USC

112. As noted, by this Amendment, applicants have amended the specification to insert

reference to the designated accession number to complete the specification requirement

by amending the specification at page 51, line 20, to indicate that WR 19L has been

assigned accession number FERM BP-6909.

With these amendments and evidence, it is submitted that claim 54 and all other

claims of the application are in condition for allowance and such action is respectfully

requested.

To the extent necessary, a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 is

hereby made. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this

paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account 500417 and please credit any

excess fees to such deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

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